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Gareth Sakakida Managing Director Hawaii Transportation Association 2850 Paa Street, Suite 204 Honolulu, Hawaii 96819

Re: Young Brothers, Limited, Docket No. 06-0120

Dear Mr. Sakakika:

Please respond to the enclosed information requests. The information requests seek information from members of the Hawaii Transportation Association ("HTA") that are currently providing or anticipate providing services to consolidate/deconsolidate less than container load ("LCL") cargo for interisland shipments through Young Brothers, Limited. ("YB")

If you have any questions, please call me at 586-3755 or e-mail me at Paul.M.Nakayama@hawaii.gov.

Sincerely,

Paul M. Nakayama

Researcher

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**Enclosure** 

c: Division of Consumer Advocacy Young Brothers, Limited Western Motor Tariff Bureau, Inc.

## **PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

#### **DOCKET NO. 06-0120**

## Information Requests

## Hawaii Transportation Association

PUC-	R-201 (	(HTA)
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Please provide an estimate of the average number of LCL containers that each motor carrier on the islands of Oahu, Hawaii, Maui, Kauai, Molokai, and Lanai is currently shipping on each of YB's sailings in 2005 and year-to-date 2006.

PUC-IR-202 (HTA)

Please provide an estimate of the average number of additional LCL containers that each motor carrier (currently providing consolidation/deconsolidation services) on the islands of Oahu, Hawaii, Maui, Kauai, Molokai, and Lanai would be able to ship on each of YB's sailings in 2007.

PUC-IR-203 (HTA)

Please provide an estimate of the average number of LCL containers that each motor carrier (not currently providing consolidation/deconsolidation services) on the islands of Oahu, Hawaii, Maui, Kauai, Molokai, and Lanai anticipates shipping on each of YB's sailings in 2007.

PUC-IR-204 (HTA)

Please provide an estimate of the rates that motor carriers on the islands of Oahu, Hawaii, Maui, Kauai, Molokai, and Lanai would charge for services to consolidation/deconsolidation LCL cargo.

PUC-IR-205 (HTA)

Please provide a detailed explanation of how the freight charges would be divided among carriers providing consolidation/deconsolidation services on the islands of Oahu, Hawaii, Maui, Kauai, Molokai, and Lanai.

PUC-IR-206 (HTA)

Please provide a detailed description of the logistics involved in accommodating a hypothetical customer in Hilo that wishes to ship a pallet of refrigerated goods to Kahului and a pallet of dry goods to Honolulu, e.g., coordination with motor carriers in Honolulu and Kahului, billing, collection, time constraints, less than full container shipments, availability of refrigerated containers, etc.

PUC-IR-207 (HTA)

Please provide HTA's comments regarding alternatives to YB's proposal to terminate its LCL services at Kahului Harbor, e.g., YB lowers its container rates to encourage consolidation, YB increases its LCL cargo rates, YB continues to provide LCL services at a site off harbor premises, etc.